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New York Letter

by Lucy Jeanne Price



New York. — Once more New York is at its best. Thousands of persons have come back to town within the past week, dozens of theaters have opened, with a good many exceedingly good productions among them; the roofs have started up once more—in spite of the pessimism anent prohibition's effects—and most old-timey of all—visitors are pouring in upon us from all parts of the country. Three hotel managers have told me that the rush of business had almost taken them off their feet. And one theater ticket agency manager said: "Our society list suddenly came to life two whole weeks before we expected it." Is it the weather or a return of the signs of material prosperity throughout the country?

—NY—
The most satisfying discovery one can make, it seems to me, is that of a man or woman who has lived through other generations and smiles upon the present one and its age with complete approval. There is something fundamental involved—the hope in progress or something of that sort—I think. So Mrs. James Packard, of the calm borough of Brooklyn, gives me a thrill of joy. She is 84 years old, for one thing, and she says, "Short skirts are much more sensible than the trailing ones. I was bothered with them when I was a girl, and peepaboo waists are really pretty. I like bobbed hair, too. It's both comely and comfortable. People are just beginning to learn to live."

—NY—
Who remembers the Cherry Sisters? The original Cherry Sisters of Iowa, who so surprised the vaudeville audiences that they made a country-wide hit? They are coming back! Will Morrissey, who is known as a manager who will take seeming chances, intends to prove that he has the courage of his convictions by producing at one of the leading theaters a revue in which those Cherry Sisters will be featured. All particulars are withheld to the end that Broadway will get the full force of another surprise.

—NY—
Don't take your picnic tricks automobile. John Ness, of Long Island City, is considering having that little order painted on the side of his car. In the meantime his women friends have got to reform their manners or he's off'n 'em. He was arrested the other day because he was zigzagging his auto down a hill and they charged him \$5 for careless driving. All because of a combination of misplaced playfulness and a few caterpillars! "Those two women friends of mine in the car made all the trouble," explained Ness. "They had some caterpillars and they were trying to put them down my back. I don't like bugs anyhow and especially under my shirt. That's what made the car zigzag."

—NY—
A Buddhist shrine from Tibet, with Tibetan carpet, prayer mat, temple guardians, altar vessels, images, sacred banners and holy book reciting the praises of Buddha have been placed on exhibit at the American Museum of Natural History. The collection was made by Alexander Scott, a British artist who for 26 years made his home in Darjeeling, India, on the highway to Tibet.

The problem of the poor artists

again! Where is he to go? He ruins his own possibility of having a home regularly, no matter where he tries it. A few years ago, the New York artists began too drift into Greenwich Village—the Washington Square section—because it was a cheap place to live. They took some tenements and attics and barns and what-not and fixed them up to suit their needs and leaned back to enjoy economy. Presto! The uptowners heard about it—"such atmosphere!" And down they came to offer the landlords increased rents for the newly fixed studios. The artists had to move. They were too poor to compete. Their MacDougal Alley was taken away by wealthy amateurs. They penetrated farther below 14th street. The curse of popularity followed them. Until now they are looking around hopelessly for a poverty-stricken district of the city where they can afford to flee—knowing full well the tragic truth that as soon as they get settled there they will attract more wealthy amateurs and will themselves have to move on!

—NY—
Julia Sanderson, the ever-young! Not that she isn't young, but she can't be anywhere nearly as young in years as she looks on daets and actually is. In "Tangerine," the gay new musical comedy at the Casino, she is the same Julia who captured the country in "The Sunshine Girl," young, sweet and insouciant.

LUCY JEANNE PRICE.

Ledger Want Ads Pay.

WORLD'S WHEAT CROP PROSPECTS CAUSES NO ALARM

Conditions So Far As Bread Stuffs Is Concerned Are Not As Bad As Thought.

Prospects for the world's wheat supply, while not so satisfactory as was expected during the first part of the current season, show at the present time no cause for serious alarm. Estimates of the quantity of wheat harvested in 20 countries, including the United States, for 1921, total 2,461,430,000 bushels, compared with 2,384,143,000 bushels harvested last year, according to data compiled by the Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates, United States Department of Agriculture.

The 20 countries included in this estimate are the United States, Canada, Argentina, Chile, Uruguay, Belgium, Bulgaria, Finland, France, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Spain, British India, Japan, Algeria, Tunis, Union of South Africa, Australia, and New Zealand. These countries produced approximately 68 per cent. of the known wheat crop of the world during the years 1903-13, according to the annual average production records of the bureau.

Although the long-sustained drought throughout the greater part of the northern Hemisphere was a serious menace to the various crops in many countries, the fall-sown wheat has not been affected adversely so much as was at first supposed. On the contrary the fall-sown wheat managed to obtain a firm hold on the soil and a fairly vigorous growth before the beginning of the drought.

Nearly all of northern and central Europe will have larger wheat crops this year than last, according to the latest estimates made by the bureau, Belgium and Greece being the only countries in which smaller crops are expected.

Outside of Europe, British India was most seriously affected by the drought. The dryness and the hot winds that have prevailed throughout most of the

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four months I could do but little work, had to lie down most of the time, was nervous and could eat hardly anything, but my husband was always reminding me to take the 'Vegetable Compound,' which I did. Of my eight children this last one was the easiest birth of all and I am thankful for your 'Vegetable Compound.' I recommend it to my friends when I hear them complaining about their ills."—Mrs. M. NATALE, 72 Fremont St., Springfield, Mass.

Sickly, ailing women make unhappy homes, and after reading Mrs. Natale's letter one can imagine how this home was transformed by her restoration to health. Every woman who suffers from such ailments should give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial. It is surely worth while.

growing season have resulted in the very low yield of 250,469,000 bushels of wheat or about 50,000,000 bushels less than the quantity normally consumed in that country. With the rice crop also seriously affected, India is expected to import wheat this year instead of exporting it. In an average year before the World War, India exported over 50,000,000 bushels of wheat.

In Canada the total yield of spring wheat is estimated at 273,020,000 bushels, of which 264,137,000 bushels were grown in Saskatchewan, Manitoba, and Alberta. Fall wheat, grown almost exclusively in Ontario and Alberta, was estimated at 15,473,000 bushels. The total wheat yield of Canada for 1921 is therefore 288,493,000 bushels, compared with 263,189,000 bushels last year.

A very unsatisfactory feature in the present international situation is the hopeless condition of the Russian crops. Unofficial reports state that during last autumn and the spring of this year only a very small area was sown to the various crops, resulting in a failure to produce sufficient food for the country's needs. It is also reported unofficially that a considerable amount of wheat will yet be imported by Russia this year. But up to the present time the amount of wheat, as well as other foodstuffs, which will be imported is conjectural, and the Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates is unable to make a definite statement concerning it.

In Northern Africa, the wheat crop was generally larger than last year. In Algeria, threshing results show a better yield than was expected earlier in the season. In Tunis, bad weather reduced the yields somewhat from those expected earlier while in Morocco the crop was generally reported as satisfactory. According to estimates published by the International Institute of Agriculture at Rome, these three countries are expected to produce, for 1921, a yield of 66,138,000 bushels of wheat, compared with 36,743,000 bushels in 1920.

SUMMARY OF STATE FACTORIES IS ANNOUNCED

Census Bureau Announces Summary of Manufactures in Kentucky.

Washington. — A preliminary statement of the general results of the 1920 census of manufactures, covering the year 1919, for the State of Kentucky was issued by the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce. The figures are subject to such change and correction as may be found necessary from a further examination of the reports.

The census of manufactures, 1919, like that of 1914, excluded the hand trades, the building trades, and the neighborhood industries, and took account only of establishments conducted under the so-called factory system. The word "establishment" as used in the census reports may mean more than one mill or plant, provided they are owner or controlled and operated by a single individual, partnership, corporation or other owner or operator, and are located in the same town

or city. The reports were taken for the calendar year ending December 31, 1919, or the business year of the establishment most nearly conforming to that calendar year.

The census inquiry calls for the total amount of capital, both owned and borrowed, invested in the business, but excludes the value of rented property. In addition to the component materials which enter into the value of products the cost of materials in this summary includes the cost of fuel, mill supplies, and rent of power and heat.

The value of products represents their selling value or price at the plants as actually turned out by the factories during the census year, whether sold or on hand.

	1919	1914
No. estab.	3,567	4,184
Persons employ ..	83,958	77,865
Proprietors	4,063	4,148
Sal employ	10,610	9,131
Wage earners	69,345	64,586
Primary hspw	247,073	238,314
Capital	\$276,535,000	\$193,423,000
Services	86,612,000	43,152,000
Salaries	19,612,000	11,323,000
Wages	66,934,000	31,330,000
Materials	325,716,000	114,829,000
Value of pro	395,660,000	230,249,000
Value added by manufacture (value of products less cost of materials)	159,944,000	115,420,000

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Public Ledger's charge for political announcements are: For district offices, \$15; county offices, \$10; city offices, \$5. Candidates will please bear in mind that rule is CASH with order for insertion.

For County Clerk.
The Public Ledger is authorized to announce ANDREW M. JANUARY as a candidate for the office of COUNTY CLERK of Mason county, subject to the action of the Republican voters at the November election.

The Public Ledger is authorized to announce JAMES J. OWENS as a candidate for re-election to the office of COUNTY CLERK of Mason county, subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the November election.

For County Judge.
The Public Ledger is authorized to announce H. P. PURNELL as a candidate for re-election to the office of COUNTY JUDGE of Mason county, the Republican party at the November election.

For Sheriff.
The Public Ledger is authorized to announce CARRY M. DEVORE as a candidate for SHERIFF of Mason county subject to the action of the Republican voters in the November election.

The Public Ledger is authorized to announce MIKE BROWN as a candidate for SHERIFF of Mason county subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the November election.

For County Attorney.
The Public Ledger is authorized to announce W. H. REES as a candidate for re-election to the office of COUNTY ATTORNEY, subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the November election.

For Representative.
The Public Ledger is authorized to announce DR. W. S. YAZELL as a candidate for REPRESENTATIVE in the General Assembly of Kentucky from Mason county, subject to action of the Republican voters at the November election.

The Public Ledger is authorized to announce HENSLY C. HAWKINS as a candidate for REPRESENTATIVE in the General Assembly of Kentucky from Mason county, subject to action of the Democratic voters at the November election.

For Circuit Judge.
The Public Ledger is authorized to announce C. D. NEWELL as a candidate for re-election to the office of CIRCUIT JUDGE of Mason, Bracken and Fleming counties subject to action of the Democratic voters at the November election.

For Circuit Clerk.
The Public Ledger is authorized to announce JAMES B. KEY as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT of Mason county at the approaching November election.

For Tax Commissioner.
The Public Ledger is authorized to announce W. F. STEELE as a candidate for COUNTY TAX COMMISSIONER subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the November election.

The Public Ledger is authorized to announce A. H. DILLON, of Bardis, as the Republican candidate for COUNTY TAX COMMISSIONER at the November election.

For Police Judge.
The Public Ledger is authorized to announce HARRY C. CURRAN as a candidate for JUDGE OF THE POLICE COURT of the city of Maysville in the approaching November election.

The Public Ledger is authorized to announce JOHN L. WHITAKER as a candidate for re-election to the office of JUDGE OF THE POLICE COURT of the city of Maysville in the November election.

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